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Honorable Sir:

Applicant submitted a Petition to Make Special under 37 CFR §1.102(c) along with a Declaration under 37 CFR §1.102(c) on November 17, 2003, upon filing the above application. However, upon telephoning Hoa T. Nguyen, Supervising Examiner of Group Art Unit 2652, it was discovered that the aforementioned papers are missing from the file. Accordingly, enclosed herewith are copies of the Petition to Make Special and the Declaration along with a postcard receipt stamped by the Patent and Trademark Office with the date of November 17, 2003.

It is respectfully requested that the Petition to Make Special and Declaration be made of record in the file and that the application be accorded special status and advanced out of turn for examination or for further action.

Respectfully submitted,



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